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WHEN Mr. Small arrives the people whof went to the Camp Ground to hear him will doubtless learn what detained him.

Cooks, waiters and servant-girls are or steaks, broken dishes or country cousins sitting up o' nights.

To-DAY the Pennsylvania Democrats are to meet in convention. Unless the great loss of life and property owing signs are misleading there will be a circus the sudden and unexpected rising of the and Black will be nominated for Governor.

BLACK will be no dark horse before to day's Democratic convention at Harris- Mill Run, a small tributary of Buffalo burg. By the way, Lieut-Governor Black creek, two miles east of this place. Towas a student in the old Morgantown day Mr. Snoderly mourns the loss of his

NEW YORK's boudle exiles, De Lacey, Keenan and Billy Maloney are in France in search of the tombs of their ancestors.

Some person should be sent to inter-States fully understands his case. Mr. Mexico by Secretary Bayard, might undertake it and thus combine business with

Tux Mayor of Philadelphia is charged A man who would cheat a pawnbroker "is fit for treasons, strategems and spoils," But we don't think Mayor Smith has done

Tun terribie storm which carried away bridges on the Baltimore & Ohio, did more and worse than that-it swept away almost an entire family. When the mountain streams rise suddenly, as they often do, the little homes built upon their banks are turned into death traps from which it is not easy to escape.

SECRETARY BAYARD IS growing desperate

over two years' residence in New York, all of but fifteen days of which he has

tor, and the Legislature passed a law to carry this provision into effect. There never has been such a vote, but now Senator Van Wyck issues an address to the people and asks them to express their

tor Van Wyck issues an address to the people and asks them to express their choice, which it is supposed the Legislature will respect. If there were a vote on this question in West Virginia what activity there would be among the politicians.

Human Side of Washington.

Chautauqua, N. Y., August 17.—Dr. Everett Hale, of Boston, to-day lectured in the Amphitheatre on the "Human side of Washington." The lecturer said he would try to enable the audlence to appreciate the fact that Washington was singularly human. The real wash a habit of falling in love and was greatly troubled because the young women would not fall in love with him. He was a bad speller; he traded horses, always to his own advantage, and he was the richest American of his day. Lord Fairfax American of his day. Lord Fairfax American of his day. Lord Fairfax American of his day. in the Amphitheatre on the "Human side of Washington." The lecturer said he would try to enable the andlence to appreciate the fact that Washington was a real man and not a demi-god. Washington was singularly human. The real Washington bought lottery tickets and had a habit of falling in love and was greatly troubled because the young women would not fall in love with him. He was a bad speller; he traded horses, always to his own advactage, and he was the richest American of his day. Lord Fairfax brought up Washington to become a thorn in the flesh of George III. The lecturer had no doubt that the hatchet story was true. Washington was a man of principle and honor, and in the time of the stamp act was recognized as the Virginia patrict.

Dr. James Woodrow, on charges preferred by Dr. William Adams, of Augusta, be-

day. About 200 delegates are present, representing nearly every State in the Union. F. W. Fleck, of New York, was elected Grand President and Thomas Brown, of Philadelphia, Grand Vice-President, The meeting will continue

Dr. Ward, of Albany, and three other friends, passed through here on a special night at Tulare, Cala., destroyed the business attached to the Moutreal express at 1:50 this morning, bound for the Adiron- of a million dollars; insurance light. The

SWEPT BY WATER.

John Snoderly Drowning his Wife and

FAUMINGTON, W. VA., August 17.-A terrible cloud burst occurred near this streams to raging torrents, resulting in waters. The family of John Snoderly, consisting of himself, wife, six children and his aged mother, resided on Dunkard wife and four children, who perished be fore his eyes without being able to render

The heavy rainfall last night sweller the stream so rapidly that the house was Tweed and his gang and will forget Squire, Flyan and Thompson. who drowned before assistance arrived view Geronimo to ascertain if the United The bodies of his wife and two children were recovered, and the whole country Sadgwick, who has been bundled of to turned out to search for the bodies of the other two children, whose bodies were finally found late to-day in the Monouga hela river.

At Fairview there was great dameg done to property by high water. Severa with taking money from pawnbrokers. houses, barns and outbuildings were washed away at Barracksville.

Everything in the track of the storm has a distressing appearance, and it will this or any other crooked thing with take weeks to repair the damage in some

OUTTHE B. & O.

mage Done to Bridges-Effect on the Trains.

Reports received yesterday from nearly all points along the line of the Baltimor & Ohio road between Moundaville and Grafton, were to the effect that that section was swept over-on Monday night by the most devastating atorm known for years, None of these reports were as reliable and authentic as could be desired, for the rea publicans with giving pointers to Mexico on the way to manage the Cutting case wires were blown and washed down and on the way to manage the Cutting case against the United States. Such school boy twaddie does not add anything to the dignity of Mr. Bayard. If he is in a hole he should wriggle out of it in a more dignified manner.

Congressman Erady, of Virginia, believes that the Republicans will cleet six or seven of the ten Congressmen in that State. That will depend altogether on the honesty of the elections. There is no doubt about Republican majorities in the Old Dominion, but if the old frauds are allowed to be repeated they will be suppressed in the ballot-hex.

Matrice B Flans is another man who has gone out of politics. Mr. Flynn takes with him about \$5,000,000 picked up in fifteen years. Squire too will soon go, taking along a pretty psnuy for a little over two years' residence in New York, all of but fifteen days of which he has

trains can be run over the main stem to

CANADIANS DISGUSTED

At the Manner in Which the Governmen Acts in the Fisheries Matter. NEW YORK, August 17 .- A Halifax

evening and they are here this (Monday) morning. What sort of protection is this? I hope that some of the United States menof-war now said to be in the bay will blow it them to the devil. They are an arrant chambug and meetings should be held throughout the provinces to let the Government understand that the people are not to be fooled in this fashion. The fish to-day are plentiful in two fathoms of water and we can gaze on the Americans filling their vessels with mackerel inside the three mile limit and no Canadian cutter in sight.

AUGUSTA, GA., August 17.-The trial of About the Purchase of a New Cruiser by the

by Dr. William Adams, of Augusta, before the Augusta Presbytery, began at B. thany, Green county, yesterday. The charges are that Woodrow promulgates doctrines and opinions in conflict with sacred scriptures in teaching that the body of Adam was probably the product of evolution from the body of some lower animal. The trial promises to occupy several days and is exciting much interest.

Sons of St. George.

Borfalo, N. Y., August 17.—The session of the Grand Lodge of the order of the Sons of St. George, opened here today. About 200 delegates are present, representing nearly every State in the Union F. W. Fleck, of New York, was elected Grand President and Thomas Brown, of Philadelphia, Grand Vicesbroom, of Antigan, West Indies last year, purchased by a New York. She was, he says, in the West Indies last year, purchased by a New York speculator out for a trial trip by the Governor of the Windward Islands and he after the trip at sea, became frightened of her and would not any of the Sons of St. George, opened here today. About 200 delegates are present, representing nearly every State in the Clvil Service.

HALIFAX, N. S., August 17.—Usptain Peterson, of Antigan, West Indies, is in encourage and custom service should be composed of men who are not themselves in the Clvil Service.

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fire was incendiary.

HOPE FOR VIRGINIA ssman Brady Speaks of Large R

WASHINGTON, D. C., August 17 .- Congressman Brady, of Petersburg, Va, thinks matters politically looking fine. He says: "I have seen a great deal of political matters at home since Congress adjourned, and I find no reason for not reasserting our claim to large Congress-ional gains this fall. If we do not have six or seven out of Virginia's ten Con-gressmen, you may be sure that there will be a repetition of the Democratic frauds of gressmen, you may be sure that there will be a repetition of the Democratic frauds of the last fow years, which rendered Democratic success possible. From careful returns recently received from all the districts, I have flyured out majorities for us in sile except Daniels', Cabell's and Barbour's districts. These we have conceded to the Democrates all along, but since I have looked into matters across the river I am not without hopes of even the eighth, Understand that I do not claim that all the seven or eight districts will go Republican. Four will surely, but the rest we claim as anti-Democratic. Independent Democratic candidates are looming up on all sides and the Kuights of Labora are making war on the old Bourbora are making war on the old Bourbors, who look upon laboring men as beasts of burden. Moreover, protectionist sentiments are progressing with a rapidity that alarms the old party ulers. Let me assure you that the elections in Virginia this fall will give the Bourbons there and throughou: the South the greatest surprise of their life, and the surprise will not be of a pleasant character either."

"And you think the Republicans have a chance in the Alexandria district?"

"It certainly looks that way at present," was the reply. "From all the information that has come to me I judge that the coming convention will end in a split or the

was the reply. "From all the information that has come to me I judge that the com that has come to me I judge that the coming convention will end in a split or the production of such fractional bitterness that an Independent Republican candidate will have an excellect chance. Especially will this be the case if Lee is nominated, for the workingmen almost as a boly are determined to break away from the aristocratic rule of the 'old families'. If they do not come out oponly for an independent, they will do silent but effective work at the polls. On a square party vote, of course, the Democrats are largely in the mej wity; but it appears to me that no canutisate mentioned so far before the convention can bring out anything like the full party strength."

CAPTURED ARTICLES

In the Treasury Department to be Returne WASHINGTON, D. C., January 17.—Some of Huntingdon will committe Wall time ago Acting Secretary Fairchilds in and Marsh, of York, will name Black. abandoned property, to carry into effect the provisions of the act of Congress authorizing the Secretary of the Treasury to deliver to the rightful owners certain articles of jewelry, etc., captured by the United States army during the civil war and deposited in the Treasury Department. Mr. Kritz has accordingly prepared rules and regulations when will govern the restoration of all such articles. They are contained in two noxes and consist of silverware, jewelry, no traits, three watches, etc. One of the toxes contained nearly 500 watches, gold, silver and braze, and a number of jack diver and brass, and a number of jack mives, pocket books, letters, etc. These were mainly taken from prisoners of war

all of but fifteen days of which he has spent as Commissioner of Public Works. In Squire's case the bosses imported the raw material.

Col. Phart, of Virginia, our new minister to Persia, has discovered that it is provided by treaty that when he appears before the Shah he is to take off his shoes. This requirement has wrung from Col. Pratt a promise to the Secretary of State that on the ceremonial occasions provided for by solemn freaty he will wear socks. It is related of an official of this city that before receiving his appointment he made a similar promise which he has not kept.

This constitution of Nebraska provides that the electors of that State shall, by ballot, express this' preference for a person to fill the office of United States Senator, and the Legislature passed a law tor, and the Legislature passed a

WASHINGTON, D. C., August 17 .- An in teresting and successful trial trip was made yesterday of an engine run by oil instead of fuel. The engine, with a pas-

Improving Civil Service. WASHINGTON, D. C., August 17 .- The Civil Service Commission contemplates another important change in the system the three mile limit and no Canadian cutter in sight.

A STRANGE STORY

About the Purchase of a New Cruiser by the Canadian Government,

HALIFAX, N. S., August 17.—Captain Peterson, of Antigna, West Indies, is in this city and tells a curious story about a nother important change in the system of examinations for admission to the post office and custom house services, which will shortly be formulated and promulting the composition of the Civil Service Reform association that local Boards of Examiners for admission to the post of examiners for admission to the post office and custom house services, which will shortly be formulated and promulting admission to the post office and custom house services, which will shortly be formulated and promulting and custom house services, which will shortly be formulated and promulting and custom house services, which will shortly be formulated and promulting and custom house services, which will shortly be formulated and promulting and custom house services, which will shortly be formulated and promulting and custom house services, which will shortly be formulated and promulting and custom house services, which will shortly be formulated and promulting and custom house services, which will shortly be formulated and promulting and custom house services, which will shortly be formulated and promulting and custom house services, which will shortly be formulated and promulting and custom house services, which will shortly be formulated and promulting and custom house services, which will shortly be formulated and promulting and custom house services, which will shortly be formulated and promulting and custom house services, which will shortly be formulated and promulting and custom house services, which will shortly be formulated and promulting and custom house services, which will shortly be formulated and promulting and custom house services, which will shortly be formulated and promulting and custom house services are considered and custom house services and custom house servi

oreates surprise, as it is firmly believed that his resignation addressed to President Cleveland and dated June 30, was sent to Washington when Mr. Jackson was in the United States on leave of absence.

Rennedy Gets There.

SPRINGFIELD, OHID, August 17.—The Republicans of the Eighth Congressional district to-day nominated Lieutenant-Gov-ernor B. P. Kennedy by acclamation,

THE CONVENTION

OF THE KEYSTONE DEMOCRAT

At Harrisburg To-day-A Sharp Contest Between Black and Wallace-It Will be a Lovefeast or a Bear Garden Dance-The Ohio Democrats.

influence of spoils is likely to be felt in the convention as in palmiest days. Chairin have unexpectedly turned up for Wal-lace. It is very hard to keep the old fac-tional lines of the times of the Wallace and Randall feul from being too closely drawn, but Mr. Randall, who is expect-ed to-night, will probably tell his friends that he does not desire the contest to take that shame. Should the fight be to take that shape. Should the fight be to the finish between the parties of Wallace and Randall, the ticket nominated would not have the slightest show of election. Randall is too sagacious to let matter.

tion. Randall is too sugarnous at the state that turn.

Neither Black nor Wallace is here. The latter has been strongly urged to come, and may put in an appearance to-night. Senator Coxe is in charge of the Wallace headquarters, and McKenns, of Allegheny, is running those of Black. The Wallace the apparent indifference of the Sanator out his friends have taken fresh courage There will be no clubs here, but the Democratic yeomanry of the interior of the State will be here in force to demand the nomination of Wallace, and to rebuke the attempt of the chairman to dominate the party. Mortimer F. Elliott, of Tioga, who was elected Congressman-at-large on the ticket with Governor Pattison, is likely to be chairman of the Convention. Speer, of Huntingdon will nominate Wallace, and Mawh of York williams Block.

and Marsh, of York, willhame Black.

Little has been done with regid to the
rest of the ticket. Several names have
been canvassed for Lieutenant Governor
but General Ricketts, of Luzzere, seems
to be the favorite. Africa will be named
for his old place, and all else is at sea.

Ex-Congressman Hopkins was among the
latest arrivals this morning. He was direct from his new home in York county,
and blandly took his place in the ranks of
the Western Pennsylvania people, headed by Charles F. McKenna.

THE BLACK BOOM.

THE BLACK HOOM, After hastily glancing over the field they djourned from the Bolton to the Lochiel where they formally opened the Black boom, or headquarters. The delegation will not be complete until the arrival of the train from Pittsburgh this afternoon. Col Quay arrived from his sesside resort at an early hour this morning. Like Gen: Press in thrie, his presence has nothing to do with the Convention, but at the same time, if his advice is needed he will be within easy call.

There were no less than three conventious held in this city since Monday. The City Convention was held last night the Dauphin county Republican Convention was held to-day and all the while the clans were gathering for the State Convention.

were gathering for the State Convention. The hotel keepers think that the dates mould have been wider apart and busi-

organization. Mr. Hensel angrested ex Judge M. C. Herman, of Cumberland county, for temporary chairman, and this was accepted by the Wallace people, with the understanding that they should name the understanding that they should name the permanent chairman. This arrange-ment was agreed to, and it is probable that ex-Congressman M. F. Elliott, of Tioga, will be their man. It is possible that Mr. Elliott may not satisfy all the Wallace people, and that Hon. Jacob Z-igler, of Butler, may be selected after all.

five minor offices are to be filled, beginning with Secretary of State. The latest war rates at New York by are several candidates for Secretary of State, but the indications point to the choice of Boston Young, of Marion, though John MeBride, of Man, \$13; to London, \$12; and to Secretary Knights of Labor, will give him a close Candinavian ports, \$15.

An officer in the cincipation of Freiand. We approach Chicago full of hope and in the belief that the occasion of our visit will strengthen the will strengthen the clief that the occasion of our visit will will extengthen the clief that the occasion of our visit will strengthen the state will attengthen the clief that the occasion of our visit will will extengthen the clief that the occasion of our visit will strengthen the clief that the occasion of our visit will strengthen the clief that the occasion of our visit will extengthen the clief that the occasion of our visit will extengthen the clief that the occasion of our visit will extengthen the will attengthen the clief that the occasion of our visit will extengthen the will attengthen the clief that the occ

BLACK'S ADDRESS On Behalf of the Anarchists-The Bomb LLAUUL CUNVENTION.
Thrower Responsible.
CHICAGO, August 17.—This was the fif-

teenth day of the Anarchist trial, and the knowledge that Captain William P. Black, the most distinguished of the quartette of counsel for the defense, was going to begin his argument, attracted an overwhelming Harmsever, Pa, August 17.—It is hard to tell at this writing whether to-morrow's convention will be a lovefeast or a bear garden. There are elements here to raise a large sized row, but the conservative sentiment of the party is also well represented. There is a notable absence of federal officeholders in person, but the influence of spoils is likely to by felt in the resched when the Captain made his argument, attracted an overwhelming crowd of spectators. Since the opening of the trial, Captain Black has been a most conspicuous figure in it. All through the proceedings from the time that he offered his and coups motion from the time that he offered his addenue in interposing of the trial, Captain Black has been a most conspicuous figure in it. All through the proceedings from the time that he offered his addenue motion from the time that he offered his addenue in interposing of the trial, Captain Black has been a most conspicuous figure in it. All through the day the proceedings from the time that he offered his addenue motion from the time that he offered his addenue motion from the time that he offered his addenue motion from the offered his addenue motion from the time that he offered his addenue motion from the time that he offered his addenue motion from the time that he offered his addenue in interposing objections and taking exceptions. It was natural, there are the motion from the time that he offered his addenue motion from the time that he offered his addenue motion from the time that he offered his addenue motion from the time that he offered his addenue motion from the time that he offered his addenue motion from the time that he offered his addenue motion from the time that he offered his addenue motion from the time that he offered his addenue motion from the time that he offered his addenue motion from the offered his addenue motion from the time that he offered his addenue motion from the time that he offered his addenue motion from the time that he offered his addenue motion from the time tha argument.

Judge Gary was on the bench promptly the convention as in palmiest days. Chairman Hensel is putting his postofices in the scale for all they are worth, and, through Mr. Brennan, seems to have captured the majority of the Pittsburgh delegation for Black, other selegations have not proved so susceptible to this influence, and such counties as Crawford and Frank-lin have unexpectedly turned up for Wallace. It is very hard to keep the old fac-small miles were annothed in all history, by lace. It is very hard to keep the old fac-small miles were the same than in all history, by applied to the same than the was the same than the was the same than the saw that he was the milling when he saw that he was the principal object of curiosity among the ladies. Immediately following the silence pro-

finish to morrow forenoon, and in the afternoon State's Attorney Grinnell will race, let such of us as may not be able begin the closing argument.

In the ing the enemies of his country and his race, let such of us as may not be able or approve of his action, at least remain silent and leave the denunciation of him

SHORT SHRIFT. An Early Morning Murderer Lynched be

LEAGUE CONVENTION.

A Lively Time Expected To-day-The Two Factions Doing Some Enraest Caucusing. Congressman Finerty Explains his

semiling when he saw that he was the principal bollow to the live of the principal bollow in the principal bollows in the sale of the balliff shammer, Captain Black stepped slightly out in the front of the jury. He wore a long, black Prince Albert coatclosely buttoned around his slender form. Glancing at the clock on the wall opposite the jury, he adverse—set the Judge in the formal way, and a conce began bia argament, as follows:

"May it please the ceart and the gentlemen of the jury, on the morning of May 5, 1885, the good people of Chicago were started at the event which happened at the control of the control on the night of May 4, and murder resultfrom it. Who was responsible? The man who threw the bound; no one else,
le argued that these defendants could not be convicted as accessories before the set. He said that the State had all brough this case attempted to secure a formulation policy, or to force the hand of the properties of the

to those sgainst whom he has raised his hand.

In Early Morning Murderer Lynched before Sundown.

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Circinnari, August 17.—Mr. Davis, standard the committee will be composed of fifty men, it is hardly possible to give in agent of the Ohio & Mississippi railtong and a fluor on station. In dians, was murderer are and bea certained, endors the administration of President Cleveland, Governor Patiton, Lieutenant Governor Back and Secretary of Internal Affairs.

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PARLIAMENTARY DELEGATES ARRIVE. Paddy Ryan will be matched to fight frank Hearid after the latter's fight with John L. Sallivan. Robert Post, a wealthy farmer, living was met at Michigan City at 8:20 o'clock near Millersburg, O., was robbed of \$400 this evening, by a Michigan Central by four masked men.

George, son of Jay Gould, has returned from Europe, and denies the report of his marriage with an actrees.

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Tioga, will be their man. It is possible that Mr. Elliott may not satisfy all the Wallace people, and that Hon, Jacob X-igler, of Butler, may be selected after all.

There appears to be little prospect of a dark horse in the contest for the head of the ficket. The situation now promises a fight to a finish between Black and Wallace, and so far the Lieutenant Governor appears to have the best of it, but by no means a sure thing. Africa will be nominated for Secretary of the Interior, without a contest, if he consents, and Maxwell Stephenson's chances for the Congressional nomination seems to be next to certain.

Ohio Democratic Convention.

Tolano, Onio, August 17.—The city is crowded with delegates and visitors to the Democratic State Convention. The attendance is large, considering that it is an interest to the Democratic State Convention. The attendance is large, considering that it is an interest of the Congression of the State Convention. The statement comes from Bell Telephone sources that if the Gray patents are established the Bell Company will be proved the congression of the statement comes from Bell Telephone sources that if the Gray patents are established the Bell Company will see more considered to the Conjugation for its patents.

Totano, Onio, hugh John MeBride, of Massis lile, the Properties of the Conjugation for its the consideration of the select and the other three wounded. The campbell's Creek Coal Elevator, at the local Wood street, Clincinnati, was struck by lighting and burned. Ten cars of the O. & M. railroad were destroyed. The light will take proposed to the Conjugation of the local conjugati

LIVED MAGNIFICENTLY. But He Had to Steal to Do It - Downfall of

Boston, Mais, August 17.-The publication of the fact that William Gray, Jr. Treasurer of the Atlantic and Indian Orchard Mills Corporations, is a defaulter to an enormous amount has created great

Teasurer of the Atlantic and Indian On the Rock Island and Lake shore Rail Congressions in Facety Explains is to Position Regarding Davitry Plans.

Chicaco, August 17.—Delegate to the Holding Control Mills Corporations, is a defaulter to the Manager of Chicaco, August 17.—Delegate to the Holding Control Mills Corporation to over a fail a million of dollars. Gray was the corporation and the fully one thousand are on the setimated that fully one thousand are on the set of the ground. There was active caucasing the econvention laid bare its hand. That should be hold lobbler repercing the election of officers, but neither elements in event of the set of the convention laid bare its hand. That there will be a sharp passage on the convention laid bare its hand. That there will be a sharp passage on the convention laid bare its hand. That there will be a sharp passage on the convention laid bare its hand. That there will be a sharp passage on the convention laid bare its hand. That there will be a sharp passage on the convention laid bare its hand. That there will be a sharp passage on the convention laid bare its hand. That the will be a charp passage on the convention laid bare its and a state of the state of the

lower harbor and bay during the day and spent the night below.

Monday morning the yacht came up to the city and landed Gray and his companions on Central wharf. Gray ordered the captain to get ready to rail again at 2 v. m., at which time Gray stated he would be on board. The captain has not seen Gray since and, the Huron still lies at her anchorage. It is known that Gray has left the city, and it is thought is making his way for Canada with a horse and buggy, it is not believed that he has carried any of the stolen money with him as he is believed to have spent most of it.

Hussia's Chim Liable to Cause a Conflict at Any Moment.

London, August 17.—The Pall Mail Gazette says it is glad the Afghan Commission has been recalled, as it will hesten a set-

Gay's Defalcation of Gay, the late chief clerk in the United of Gay, the late chief cierk in the United States pension office at this city, have completed their work. Mr. Errett, the Pension Agent, says he has positive orders from the Government not to divalge anything relating to the smount of the defi-lation, and release to say a word. From one of the Government employes it is learned that the peculations will fall far short of what was anticipated, and will not reach \$5,000.

Pittsburgh's Costly Experiment-Mountain Gives the Game Away. Pittsburgh, Pa., August 17.—Mounship game for the home team since early

Metropolitans, 7. Bases, Pittaburgh, the Bellast riots and the alarming condi; Metropolitans, 7. Umpire, Valentins,

League Games.

At Chicago—Chicago, 15; Kansas City,
Earned runs, Chicago, 19; Kansas City,
Ease hits, Chicago, 19; Kansas City,
Errors, Chicago, 7; Kansas City, 10. 1. Base hits, Chicago, 19; Kansus City, 10.
At Philiadelphia, Philadelphia, 6; Boston, 2. Erroed rune, 1 each. First base hits, Philadelphia, 3; Boston, 7.
At Detroit—St. Louis 2; Detroit 8 Erroed rune, Detroit 4. First base hits, Detroit 8 10; St. Louis 11. Errore, Detroit 4. St. Louis 12; Louis 14. First base hits, Gladstone's Position.

London, August 17.—Mr. Gladstone will neither initiate nor prolong the discussion with reference to Ireland in the debate on the address in reply to the Queen's speech. His followers acquiseds in this decision. Although the speech

PITTSBURGH, August 17 .- The annual tions. arranging a scale of wages for the coming year began here this afternoon, but ad-journed this evening to meet again tojourned this evening to meet again to living on Liberty street, assaulted his morrow, without reaching an agreement. Wife who was sick in bed with typhoid The workmen presented last year's scale fever, and beat her so badly that the with the addition of 10 percent, in the physician says she cannot recover. Mowages of the gatherers. The employers Elvenny has been arrested and will be offered to settle on the same basis as last held to await the result of his wife's inyear, but refused to grant any increase. They also insist upon a uniformity of wages throughout the country.

Miners Return to Work.

Pirrsnuson, August 17.-The miners mployed at the West Newton mines returned to work to-day on the same terms

one-quarter into screen.

Result of an Old Feud.

Galveston, Texas, August 17.—A special from Overton to the News says: John Price, the alleged murderer of Conductor Frasier, and against whose life an attempt was made about three weeks ago, was abot and instantly killed about 7 o'clock Monday morning while on the back verands of his house. Mrs. Price, who was present at the time, says the shot came from a window of the residence of Jeff C, Wheeler, about thirty yards distant. An old fend existed between Price and Wheeler.

New Indictments Against Squire.

upon it and assiduously circulated by unprincipled men."

Obviously this concluding paragraph is the editor's view of the case and not the language of Colonel Taylor.

No person has been authorized by me to make public the contents of any private titers in my possession. Neither has there been up to the present lines a true, undeniable natement made of the contents of said letters, so far as I have been abie to glean from their alleged publication in the papers.

The article of W, A, T, in the Cinciple of the contents of said letters are of the 7th inst., was a grow exaggeration and in several material points false.

The letters were not written by Col.

MISCREANT'S DEEDS.

On the Rock Island and Lake Shore Rails roads-A Dastardly Act-Two of the Mer

has been recalled, as it will hasten a set

erts who have been at work on the books of Khomiah, which Russia claims, by direct negotiations between London and St. rect negotiations between London and St. Peteraburg.

The St. James Gazette says the question is as far from sottlement as it was fifteen months ago. Russia claims Khomiah and Afghans refuse to give it up. A conflict is likely to occur at any moment. The Gazette says, and it rests with Eagland to say, what it will and can do to prevent its allies from being plundered. The task of Lord Iddesleigh, the Foreign Secretary, will be easier when he is relieved of this useless and embarrassing commission.

The Globe says that nothing would suit Russia better than to keep the Khomiah question open and to revive it when it suits her.

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The Cabinet sat to-day from noon until 2 o'clock. The Queen's speech was considered and approved. The Afghan difficulty was also discussed. It is understood that Colonel Ridgeway, of the British Afghan Commission, has been recalled because he felt that the difference between Russia and England had batter be dealt with by the Foreign Office.

London, August 17 .- Mr. Parnell has equested all Irish members of Parliament to be present on Thursday at the reasview of the grave and pressing condition of public affairs it is very necessary that there should be a full attendance of the

Irish contingent.
The Dublin Freeman's Journal says:
Mr. Parnell's summons shows that the
Parnellites do not intend to await the con-

cussion with reference to Ireland in the debate on the address in reply to the Queen's speech. His followers acquiescs in this decision. Although the speech from the throne will not indicate Lord Salisbury's Irish policy, it is understood that either Lord Randolph Churchill or Sir Michael Hicks-Beach during the debats will intimate that a measure will be introduced next war, desling with the introduced next year dealing with the Irish Local government and land ques-

PITTERURGH, PA., August 17 -While inoxicated to-day James McElvenny, living on Liberty street, assaulted hi

The District Over the Biver.

Sin:—Under the heading "Colonel Tay-tor in Town," you publish an interview with Colonel Taylor, in your daily of the 12th inst., which concludes as follows: "The withholding of the letter is not an act of friendship to Colonel Taylor or cents per ton over a three-quarter inch screen, or 71 cents per ton over a one and would give the lie to the charges based upon it and assiduously circulated by un